



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Linhart et al.

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Polypeptides

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AMENDMENTS AND RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated September 24, 2003, setting a three-month shortened statutory period for response and pursuant to Examiner interview held January 22, 2004, Applicants submit the following amendments and remarks.

It is not believed that extension of time or fees for net addition of claims are required beyond that that may otherwise be provided for in documents accompanying this paper. However, if additional extension of time is necessary to prevent abandonment of this application, then such extensions of time is hereby petitioned under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), and any fees required therefor (including fees for net addition of claims) are hereby authorized to be charged to our Deposit Account No. 50,0662.

Applicants respectfully request that the above-captioned application be amended as indicated below.